



**CITY OF LODI
COUNCIL COMMUNICATION**

AGENDA TITLE: Adopt a resolution awarding purchase of 22,000 feet of 600-volt insulated electrical cable to G E Supply Company of North Highlands, California (\$39,350.30 - EUD)

MEETING DATE: October 5, 2005

PREPARED BY: Electric Utility Director

RECOMMENDED ACTION: That the City Council adopt a resolution awarding purchase of 22,000 feet of 600-volt insulated electrical cable to G E Supply Company of North Highlands, the lower of two bidders submitting a proposal for this project. Contract amount is \$39,350.30.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: On September 7, 2005, the City Council approved specifications and authorized advertisement for bids for 22,000 feet of #750kcmil 600-volt insulated electrical cable to support upcoming work.

Invitations for bids were sent to eleven cable suppliers; two responded. Non-respondents cited diversion of resources (both copper and aluminum conductor, and transportation equipment to haul it) to the gulf states as the primary reason for not submitting a bid for our requirements.

The following bids were opened on September 21, 2005:

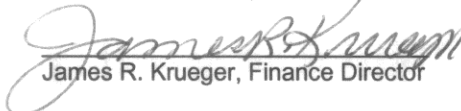
G E Supply Co., North Highlands	\$ 39,350.30
Rexel Norcal Valley, Stockton	\$ 43,380.15

Some of the upcoming projects in which this cable will be used:

Plummer / Auto Mall	14,000 '
Vintner's Square	6,180 '
Katzakian Commercial	1,280 '

FISCAL IMPACT: Cost of purchase of 22,000 feet of #750kcmil: \$39,350.30;
Cost recovery expected from future sale of electrical power.

FUNDING AVAILABLE: Electric Utility Department 2005-2006 Financial Plan and Budget,
Line Extensions, Business Unit 161651


James R. Krueger, Finance Director


David Dockham, Interim Electric Utility Director

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cc: City Attorney
Sr. Power Engineer

APPROVED: 
Blair King, City Manager

RESOLUTION NO. 2005-206

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL
AWARDING THE BID FOR THE PURCHASE OF
600-VOLT INSULATED ELECTRICAL CABLE

WHEREAS, in answer to notice duly published in accordance with law and the order of this City Council, sealed bids were received and publicly opened on September 21, 2005, at 11:00 a.m., for the purchase of 22,000 feet of #750kcmil 600-volt insulated electrical cable, described in the specifications approved by the City Council on September 7, 2005; and

WHEREAS, said bids have been compared, checked, and tabulated and a report thereof filed with the City Manager as follows:

Bidder	Total Bid
G. E. Supply Co., North Highlands	\$ 39,350.30
Rexel Norcal Valley, Stockton	\$ 43,380.15

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council hereby awards the bid for the purchase of 22,000 feet of #750kcmil 600-volt insulated electrical cable to the low bidder, G. E. Supply Company, of North Highlands, California, in the amount of \$39,350.30.

Dated: October 5, 2005

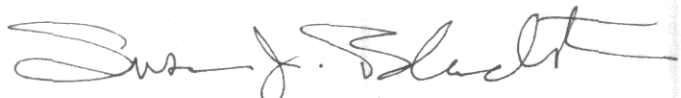
I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2005-206 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held October 5, 2005, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Hansen, Johnson, Mounce, and Mayor Beckman

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Hitchcock

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None



SUSAN J. BLACKSTON
City Clerk